GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AYURVEDA,YOGA & NATUROPATHY,UNANI,SIDDHA AND HOMEOPATHY (AYUSH)
LOK SABHA

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Ayurvedic Medicines
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Will the Minister of AYURVEDA,YOGA & NATUROPATHY,UNANI,SIDDHA AND HOMEOPATHY (AYUSH) be pleased to state:

Will the Minister of AYURVEDA, YOGA AND NATUROPATHY, UNANI, SIDDHA AND HOMOEOPATHY (AYUSH) be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Central Council of Research of Ayurvedic Sciences has developed an Anti-Diabetic drug "AYUSH- 82";

(b) if so, the details and the salient features of the drug;

(c) the steps taken by the Government for early commercialisation of AYUSH-82 for prevention and management of diabetes in the country;

(d) the branches/centres of National Institute of Ayurveda (NIA) presently functioning in the country, location-wise; and

(e) the contributions of NIA in promoting ayurveda across the country?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE (IC) OF THE MINISTRY OF AYURVEDA,
YOGA & NATUROPATHY, UNANI, SIDDHA AND HOMOEOPATHY
(SHRI SHRIPAD YESSO NAIK)
(a): Yes.
(b): For the management of diabetes mellitus, the Central Council for Research in Ayurvedic Sciences(CCRAS) has developed a formulation namely, AYUSH-82 from 05 Ayurvedic medicinal plants. The trials of the drug has shown significant reduction in blood sugar level along with clinical improvement. No toxic effects were noted during the trial.
(c): Council has initiated action to commercialize AYUSH-82. Till now M/S, Dabur India Ltd, New Delhi; M/S Kudos Laboratory India Ltd., New Delhi; and M/S LA Granade Herbs & Pharma Ltd., New Delhi have been granted licenses for manufacturing AYUSH-82.

(d): National Institute of Ayurveda (NIA) is located in Jaipur. It has no branch elsewhere.
(e): The NIA is an apex institute of Ayurveda in the country to provide high standards of teaching, training and research in all aspects of Ayurvedic System of Medicine with a scientific approach.
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